

**ELM GROVE FIELD**

**00-498 thru 00-501**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JULY 18, 2000**, upon the application of **J-W OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Zone, Reservoir A and Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier and Webster Parishes, Louisiana.

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize it Mercer 8 No. 2 Well and McDade et al 8 No. 1 Well as alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU108 at the locations shown in the application, with the location of the Mercer 8 No. 2 Well being in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.
2. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize it Collins 36 No. 1 Well as an additional alternate unit well for CV RA SU5 at the location shown in the application, in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and in lieu of the location initially approved for such well by Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B-96, effective March 28, 2000.
3. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Collins 36 No. 1 well as an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SU5 at the location shown in the application, in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.
4. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Wintamute 31 No. 1 Well as the unit well for CV RA SU133 at the location shown in the application, in exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973.
5. To find that the proposed alternate unit wells are necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, underlying the units on which they are proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within such units.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B-6, effective May 24, 1978.

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Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**PHILIP N. ASPRODITES  
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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